

[Mr. K. P. Kochukora Tharakan]

(c) the names of places at which lathi charge had to be resorted to consequent on the activities of the above organisations and the number of times lathi charge had to be made at each place?

KHAN BAHADUR G. SAIYID ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY (*Inspector General of Police*): (a) Number of persons arrested and kept in the lock-up till Kannu 1114—605;

Number of persons convicted—277.

(b) & (c) A statement containing the information required is placed on the table.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN : വലിയതൂറ ബീച്ചിലും നെയ്യാറ്റിൻകര ബസ്സ്റ്റാൻഡിലും ആറ്റുവടം റ്റി. ബിയുടെ മുൻവശത്തും വച്ചു എത്ര വെടി വച്ചു എന്നുള്ളത് ഇതിൽ പറഞ്ഞു കാണുന്നില്ല. അതിലേയ്ക്കുള്ള കാരണം എന്താണെന്നു പറയാൻ ദയവുണ്ടാകുമോ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. SAIYID ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: It is not always possible to note the number of shots fired.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN : തോട്ടം കൊണ്ടല്ലേ വെടി വെക്കുന്നത്?

KHAN BAHADUR G. SAIYID ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: I am afraid the honourable member is aiming the shots at a wrong range. The firing was done by the Military. So it is not possible for me to give the number,

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN : മറ്റുള്ള സ്ഥലങ്ങളിൽ ഇത്ര വെടി വെച്ചു എന്നറിയാമെന്നിരിക്കെ ഈ സ്ഥലങ്ങളിൽ മാത്രം ഇതറിയാതിരിക്കാനുള്ള കാരണമെന്താണെന്നു പറയാമോ?

KHAN BAHADUR G. SAIYID ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY : I don't know. It is the only possible explanation that I have just given you.

Arrest of Mr. C. Narayana Pillai.

331 ***MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR** (*Torala cum Agastisvaran*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether one Mr. C. Narayana Pillai B. A., B. L., Advocate and a State Congress worker was arrested in March 1938;

(b) the reasons for his arrest; and

(c) whether he was convicted?

KHAN BAHADUR G. SAIYID ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY:

(a) He was arrested in September 1938 and again in March 1939.

(b) In September 1938 for offences under parts 1 and 2 of Section 4 of Act I of 1114 and in March 1939 for offences under Sections 135, 137 and 104 of the Travancore Penal Code.

(c) Yes.

*Vide Appendix I, page 956.

MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR: May I know whether Mr. C. Narayana Pillai was convicted on both the occasions he was arrested?

KHAN BAHADUR G. SAIYID ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: Yes, Sir. The answer is there.

MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR: May I know the particular charge.....

PRESIDENT: Order, order. I take it that a judgment is pending in the court in this case.

MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR: May I know whether he is still in the prison?

KHAN BAHADUR G. SAIYID ABDUL KARIM SAHIB SUHRAWARDY: He is.

Physical Training class at Alwaye.

332 *MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government and the Education Department have recognised the examination qualification of those who come out successful from the Physical Training class held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. at Alwaye;

(b) if so, up to what all classes in the English and Vernacular Schools have they been given licenses to teach;

(c) (i) if license has thus been given, whether they are being appointed in Government schools (Malayalam as well as English schools); and

(ii) if so, the number of persons so appointed, the number in English schools and the number in Malayalam schools;

(d) whether the above said examination qualification is accepted by the Public Service Commissioner as qualification for appointment as Drill-masters; and

(e) whether the Public Service Commissioner has included candidates having this examination qualification among those invited for Drill-masters' posts till now; if so when, and the number of persons appointed from among them?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON (*Director of Public Instruction*): (a) Yes.

(b) Up to Form III in an English School and Class VII in a Malayalam or a Tamil School.

(c) (i) Yes.

(ii) English Schools—None. Malayalam Schools—10.

(d) Yes.

(e) The information is not available.

Lady clerks in the office of the Excise Commissioner.

333 *MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the lady clerks appointed before 30th Meenam 1114 in the Office of the Excise Commissioner?